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REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEYS [37 CFR §1.36 and §10.40(c)]

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.36 and 37 CFR §10.40(c), the undersigned attorney of record, in Her own behalf and in behalf of her associate attorneys, respectfully requests permission to withdraw as the attorneys for Applicant.

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The basis for this Request for Withdrawal is 37 CFR § 10.40(c), subparagraph (1)(vi). The Applicant has failed to respond to correspondence or to pay the outstanding balance of fees due to attorney for services rendered.

No action has yet been taken by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office regarding the above-captioned patent application.

Withdrawal has also been requested in the following related application of Applicant: Serial No. 09/697,335, 09/654,382 and 10/062,032.

In accordance with 37 CFR § 10.40(a), the below-signed has taken reasonable steps to avoid foreseeable prejudice to the rights of the Applicant, including giving due notice, allowing time for employment of another practitioner, delivering to the Applicant all papers and property to which the Applicant is entitled, and complying with applicable laws and rules. Therefore, the requirements of 37 CFR § 10.40(a) have been met. Further, a copy of this request and any attachments has been provided to the Applicant.

Upon approval of this Request for Withdrawal, kindly direct all future correspondence regarding this application to the Applicant's address as above listed.

This Request is being filed by Deborah A. Peacock in her own behalf and in behalf of all associate attorneys of record also requesting withdrawal as attorneys for Applicant in the above referenced application as follows:

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The below-signed is authorized to make this Request for Withdrawal on behalf of each attorney withdrawing, and earnestly solicits the Commissioner's prompt consideration and approval of this Request for Withdrawal.

By:

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 3, 2002

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